

Californian

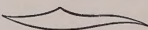
Bulbs

Suitable to the
general trade.



Wholesale Price List

A selected
set of the
very best
species,
for 1900.

 Carl Purdy
Collector
and Grower.



Ukiah, Mendocino Co., California.
U. S. A.



REMARKS.

I make a specialty of Californian bulbs, growing largely, and through collectors reaching all parts of the Pacific Coast of the United States.

QUALITY—The bulbs offered are above medium grade, even in size, and with no small or imperfect ones. Extras to cover all deficiencies are always sent. In the selection and packing of bulbs the greatest of care is taken.

GUARANTEES—I guarantee that all bulbs shall reach purchaser in first-class condition, and will make good any loss in transit whether from breakage of package or decay.  Claims for damages must be made within five days after receipt of goods, and will be allowed either by replacing the bulbs or by deducting the price from bill, at my option.

GROWN IN CULTIVATION—The largest part of my orders will be filled from bulbs of my own growing; these are larger, solidier, and better ripened than collected bulbs.  The collected bulbs used will be first-class.

DATE OF SHIPMENT.

Unless otherwise ordered bulbs will be shipped as ready. The usual date of shipment follows the price of each species in price list. If desired I will hold back bulbs and make a single shipment at any desired date. It usually takes seven days for bulbs to reach any point in the Eastern United States by express and about twenty days by express to European points. By post it takes five or six days to Eastern points and twelve to fifteen days to Europe. The freight service from San Francisco to New York is very slow. During 1899 it usually took thirty days and is seldom less than twenty five. From New York to London or Haarlem usually takes eight to twelve days by freight.

CARRIAGE.

I deliver all bulbs within the United States free except *Liliums*, which are *f o b* Ukiah. I ship all by post or express at my own option excepting *Lilium Humboldtii*, *L Washingtonianum*, *L Pardalinum* and *Camassia Cusickii*. Should customers desire these shipped by post or express they must pay the extra cost.

On foreign orders I pay carriage to New York.

 When goods, except *Lilies* above excepted, are sent *Charges Collect*, customers will take credit on account for charges as per above terms.

SUPPLIES.

My stock of Californian bulbs is about 500,000. I seldom fail to fill an order.

LARGE LOTS.

Special prices on large lots of any sort.

TERMS.

Five month credit with 5 per cent discount for Cash and interest at the rate of seven per cent per annum on deferred payments.

THE BEST SPECIES.

During the last fourteen years I have been growing the bulbs of the Western United States in large numbers and have had nearly all of the known species in my garden and often many forms of the same thing. In my tests I have grown each sort in many soils and exposures and have had an excellent opportunity, both through my own experiments and from the reports received from the Eastern United States and Europe, to judge of the comparative merits of the different varieties. Research is developing wonderful variations in all of these plants, and with so many beautiful colors to choose from, the time has come, it seems to me, to begin the elimination of weak or poor forms, and the selection and dissemination of only the best ones. From a gardener's standpoint the plants which with beauty have the best qualities as growers, are the ones to be retained. To this end I mark in my list the best species in each section without any consideration of price. I do not mean by this list that the other species have no merits, but my recommendation is that in ordering, the trade take this preferred list first. And of this preferred list my choice would follow the numerical order. I shall in the future as in the past spare no pains to secure not only new species, but will also grow lots of old species from many localities for experimental tests, that I may be able to find which have the greatest vitality and best growing qualities. It was in my garden that the vigor of *Calochortus Vesta* was discovered, a species which compared to the next best is in vigor three to one, and is one of the most beautiful as well. All of my recommendations are based on actual wide experience through a term of years.

 Descriptive List will be printed in early Spring.

The numbers in first column refer to descriptive list.

The very best varieties in each section are set in black type.

Supply of articles marked with * is uncertain.

BRODIAEA.

SECTION I.

			Per 100	Per 1000	Ready to ship
1	1	<i>Brodiaea Candida</i>	4 50		July 6
2		<i>Brodiaea Laxa</i>	1 50	10 00	" 6
3	4	<i>Brodiaea Hendersonii</i>	6 00	45 00	" 6
4	5	<i>Brodiaea Bridgesii</i>	3 00		" 6
5	2	<i>Brodiaea Peduncularis</i>	3 00	20 00	" 26
6		<i>Brodiaea Lactea</i>	1 50	10 00	" 6
7		" " Var <i>Lilacina</i>	2 25	15 00	" 6
8		<i>Brodeaea Ixioides</i> Monterey.....	1 50	15 00	" 6
9	3	<i>Brodiaea Ixioides</i> Var <i>Splendens</i>	3 00		" 6

SECTION II.

10		<i>Brodiaea Minor</i>	2 25		" 26
11		<i>Brodiaea Grandiflora</i>	1 50	10 00	" 26
12	1	<i>Brodiaea Californica</i>	3 00	20 00	" 26
13		<i>Brodiaea Orcuttii</i>	3 00	20 00	" 26
14		<i>Brodiaea Filifolia</i>	3 00	20 00	" 26
15	2	<i>Brodiaea Stellaris</i>	1 50	10 00	" 26
16		<i>Brodiaea Rosea</i>	3 00		" 26
17	3	<i>Brodiaea Purdyi</i>	3 00		" 26
18		<i>Brodiaea Terrestris</i>	2 25		" 26
19		<i>Brodiaea Gracilis</i>	3 00		" 26

SECTION III.—CALIFORNIA HYACINTHS.

20		<i>Brodiaea Capitata</i>	1 50	10 00	" 6
21	2	<i>Brodiaea Capitata</i> Var <i>Alba</i>	3 00	20 00	" 6
22		" " Var <i>Parviflora</i>	1 50	10 00	" 6
23	1	<i>Brodiaea Multiflora</i>	2 25		" 26
24		<i>Brodiaea Congesta</i>	2 25		" 26

SECTION IV.—STROPHOLIRION.

25	1	<i>Brodiaea Volubilis</i>			" 6
		Immense bulbs 1 inch in diameter.....	6 00	45 00	
		Large bulbs $\frac{3}{4}$ -1 inch in diameter.....	4 50	30 00	
		Good bulbs $\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{3}{4}$ inch in diameter.....	3 00	20 00	

SECTION V.—BREVOORTIA.

26	1	<i>Brodiaea Coccinea</i>			" 26
		Immense bulbs 1 inch in diameter.....	4 50	30 00	
		Large bulbs $\frac{3}{4}$ -1 inch in diameter.....	3 00	20 00	
		Fine bulbs $\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{3}{4}$ inch in diameter.....	2 25	15 00	

SECTION VI.—HOWELLII.

27		<i>Brodiaea Howellii</i>	4 50		" 26
28	1	<i>Brodiaea Howellii</i> Var <i>Lilacina</i>	4 50		" 26

29	"	Douglasii.....	4 50		"	26
30	"	" Var Major.....	4 50		"	26
31	2	Mixed Brodiaeas.....	90	6 00	"	6

BLOOMERIA.

32	1	Bloomeria Aurea.....	2 25	15 00	"	6
33	"	Clevelandii.....	3 00	20 00	"	6

CALOCHORTUS.

SECTION I, MARIPOSA TULIPS.

GROUP I—SPLENDENS.

34		Calochortus Splendens.....	3 00	20 00	"	26
35	1	" " Var Atroviolacea.....	3 00	20 00	"	26
36	"	" Palmeri.....	7 50		"	26
37	"	" *Flexuosus.....	10 00		"	26

GROUP II—VENUSTUS.

38	6	Var Roseus.....	3 00	20 00	"	26
39	3	Var Purpurascens.....	2 25	15 00	"	26
40		El Dorado Strain.....				
	4	Mixed Selected Bulbs.....	2 25	15 00	"	26
		Deep Purple.....	4 50	30 00	"	26
	5	Red to Pink.....	4 50	30 00	"	26
		Gold Blotched.....	7 50		"	26
		White (var pictus).....	3 00	20 00	"	26
41	7	Calochortus Venustus Oculatus.....	1 50	10 00	"	26
42	2	" " Citrinus.....	1 50	10 00	"	26
43	1	" " Robusta.....	4 50		"	26
44	1	" Vesta.....			"	26
		Good bulbs.....	3 00	20 00		
		Very large.....	4 50	30 00		
45		Calochortus Luteus.....	1 50	10 00	"	26
46	"	Catalinae.....	6 00		"	26

GROUP III—CLAVATUS.

		Calochortus Clavatus.....			"	26
47	"	" Var El Dorado... ..	10 00		"	26
48		"Ventura" (the type).....	10 00		"	26
49		"Obispo".....	10 00		"	26

GROUP III—WEEDII.

50		Calochortus Weedii.....	4 50	30 00	"	26
	"	" *Alba.....	10 00		Aug.	30
51	1	" Plummerae.....	7 50		July	26
52	"	Obispoensis.....	10 00		"	26

GROUP IV—DESERT SPECIES.

53		*Calochortus Kennedyi.....	10 00		"	26
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GROUP V—NUTTALLII.

54	2	<i>Calochortus Nuttallii</i> —White.....	4 50	30 00	Aug. 15
55		<i>C Leichtlinii</i>	3 00	20 00	Sept. 15
56	1	<i>C Gunnisonii</i>	3 00	20 00	Aug. 15

GROUP VI.

57	1	<i>Calochortus Macrocarpus</i>	4 50	30 00	" 15
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GROUP VII—NITIDUS.

58	1	<i>Calochortus Nitidus</i>	6 00	45 00	July 26
59		<i>C Longibarbatus</i>,.....	4 50	30 00	" 26
60	2	<i>C Howellii</i>	10 00		" 26

STAR TULIPS.

SECTION I—GLOBE TULIPS.

61	3	<i>Calochortus Albus</i>	1 50	10 00	" 6
62	1	<i>C Amœnus</i>	4 50	30 00	" 6
63	2	<i>C Pulchellus</i>	1 50	10 00	" 6

GROUP II—STAR TULIPS.

64	1	<i>Calochortus Elegans var Nanus</i>	4 50	30 00	Sept. 15
65		<i>C Maweanus</i>	1 50	10 00	July 6
66		" var <i>roseus</i>	2 25	15 00	" 6
67	2	" var <i>Major</i>	2 25	15 00	July 6
68		<i>C Caeruleus</i>	4 50		" 6
69	3	<i>Benthamii</i>	1 50	10 00	" 6
70		* <i>Calochortus Lobbii</i>	4 50		" 6
71	4	<i>C Umbellatus</i>	4 50		July 6

SECTION III—GIANT STAR TULIP.

72	1	<i>Calochortus Purdyii</i>	4 50	30 00	" 6
73		* <i>C Tolmiei</i>	4 50	30 00	" 6
74	1	* <i>C Apiculatis</i>	10 00		Sept. 15

SECTION III—MEADOW TULIP.

75	1	<i>Calochortus Lilacinus</i>	1 50	10 00	July 6
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CALOCHORTUS MIXTURES.

76	3	<i>Mixed Calochorti</i>	1 20	8 00	" 26
77		" <i>Mariposas</i>	1 50	10 00	" 26
78	2	" <i>Star Tulips</i>	1 20	8 00	" 6

CAMASSIA.

79		<i>Camassia Esculenta</i>	90	6 00	" 26
80	3	<i>C Cusickii</i>	6 00	45 00	" 26
81	2	<i>C Leichtlinii</i>	3 00	20 00	" 26
82		" <i>Cream</i>	7 50		" 26
83		* <i>C Alba Esculenta</i>	6 00		" 26
84		<i>C Montanum</i>	3 00		" 26

DOG TOOTH VIOLETS.

85	7	<i>Erythronium Grandiflorum</i>	4 50	30 00	"	6
86	11	" " var <i>Album</i> ...	4 50	30 00	"	6
87	6	" <i>Revolutum</i>	3 00	6 00	"	6
88	2	" <i>var Johnsonii</i>	6 00	45 00	"	6
89	10	" <i>var Praecox</i>	3 00	20 00	"	6
90	1	" <i>var Watsoni</i>	3 00	20 00	"	6
91	3	" <i>Giganteum</i>	1 50	10 00	"	26
92	5	" <i>Hartwegi</i>	2 25	15 00	"	26
93	13	" <i>Montanum</i>	4 50	30 00	Sept.	15

SECTION II—STYLE NOT DIVIDED.

94	4	<i>Erythronium Hendersonii</i>	4 50	30 00	July	6
95	12	<i>E Purpurascens</i>	4 50	30 00	Aug.	5
96	8	<i>E Howellii</i>	6 00	45 00	July	6
97	9	<i>E Citrinum</i>	4 50	30 00	July	6

FRITILLARIA.

98	2	<i>Fritillaria Biflora</i>	3 00	20 00	"	6
99		<i>F Agrestis</i>	4 50		"	6
100		<i>F Liliacea</i>	3 00	20 00	"	6
101	1	<i>F Pluriflora</i>	4 50	30 00	"	6

GROUP II.

102		<i>Fritillaria Lanceolata</i>	3 00	20 00	"	6
104	3	" <i>var gracilis</i>	4 50	30 00	"	6
105		<i>F Parviflora</i>	4 50		"	6
106		<i>F Atropurpurea</i>	4 50		"	6
107	2	<i>F Recurva</i>			"	6
		Immense bulbs 1½-2¼ in diameter.....	6 00			
		Large bulbs 1¼-1½ in diameter.....	4 50	30 00		
		Fine bulbs 1-1¼ in diameter.....	3 00	20 00		
		Fair bulbs ¾-1 in diameter.....	2 25	15 00		
108	1	<i>F Coccinea</i>	4 50	30 00	"	6
109		<i>F Pudica</i>	4 50	30 00	"	6

LILIES.

GROUP I—HUMBOLETLIL.

110		<i>Lilium Humboldtii</i>			Sept.	15
		Bulbs 7-8 in circumference.....	9 00	65 00		
		Bulbs 8-9 in circumference.....	11 50	85 00		
		Bulbs 9-11 in circumference.....	12 50	100 00		
111	1	<i>L Humboldtii var Magnificum</i>	20 00		"	15
112		" <i>Bloomerianum</i>	12 50		"	15
113		<i>L Columbianum</i>	7 50	60 00	"	15
114		* <i>L Bolanderi</i>	20 00		"	15

GROUP II—LEOPARD LILIES.

115		<i>Lilium Pardalinum</i>	4 50	30 00	"	15
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116	1	" * <i>var Johnsonii</i>	10 00		"	15
117	3	<i>L Roezli</i>	20 00	150 00	"	15
118	2	<i>L Parryi</i>	20 00	150 00	"	15

GROUP III—PARVUM.

119		<i>Lilium Parvum</i>	12 50	100 00	"	15
120		<i>L Parviflorum</i>	7 50	50 00	"	15
121	1	<i>L Maritimum</i>	12 50	100 00	"	15
		<i>L Occidentale</i>	20 00		"	15

GROUP IV—WASHINGTONIANUM.

122	2	<i>Lilium Washingtonianum</i>			"	15
		7-8 in diameter.....	9 00	65 00		
		8-9 in diameter.....	11 00	85 00		
		9-11 in diameter.....	12 50	100 00		
		11-15 in diameter.....	15 00			
123	1	<i>L var Purpureum</i>	12 50	100 00	"	15
124		<i>L Rubescens</i>	20 00	150 00	Oct.	15
		<i>L Kelloggii new</i>	50 00		"	15

TRILLIUM.

125	1	<i>Trillium Sessile</i> <i>var Californicum</i> ...	4 50	30 00	"	6
126		<i>T Ovatum</i>	3 00	20 00	"	6
127		* <i>T Petiolatum</i>	6 00		Aug.	15

Some Odd and Novel Bulbs and Plants.

129		<i>Hesperocallis Undulata</i>	20 00		July	6
130		<i>Muilla Maritima</i>	3 00		"	6
131		<i>Chlorogalum Pomeridianum</i>	6 00		"	26
132		" <i>Angustifolium</i>	4 50		"	26
133		" <i>Parviflorum</i>	4 50		"	26
134		<i>Allium Unifolium</i>	2 00		"	26
135		<i>Zygadenus Fremontii</i>	3 00		"	26

A Few Beautiful Plants.

136		<i>Clintonia Andrewsiana</i>	25 00		Oct.	15
137	1	<i>Cypripedium Montanum</i>	25 00	50 00	"	15
138		<i>C Californicum</i>	12 50		"	15
139	3	<i>Dodecatheon Hendersonii</i>	2 25	15 00	July	6
140	4	<i>D Clevelandii</i>	3 00	20 00	"	6
141		" <i>var Alba</i>				
142	2	<i>D Patulum, yellow</i>	3 00	20 00	"	6
143		" <i>var Bernalense</i>	3 00	20 00	"	6
144		" <i>pure white</i>	4 50		"	26
145		<i>Leucoocrinum Montanum</i>	3 00	20 00	"	6

